

Tennessee Ethics Commission

**** Important Dates and Information ****

2008 Lobbyist Training

The last lobbyist training session will be held on November 6, 2008, at 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. in Hearing Room 29, Legislative Plaza, Nashville, Tennessee. This session will also be available by videoconference. This will be the last chance to meet your mandatory ethics training requirement for 2008. See T.C.A. § 3-6-114(b). **Please register now.**

2009 Lobbyist Registration

The lobby portal will be available for **2009** registration beginning **Monday, December 15, 2008**. Any registration submitted before December 15, 2008 will be considered a 2008 registration.

Beginning for the 2009 registration year, lobbyist training fees will be included in the fees due when registering on the lobby portal. The training fee will be a one-time fee for 2009 and will not be assessed each time you register for another employer. For example, you register for ABC Company. The total due will be \$190.00, which includes the \$150.00 registration fee and the \$40.00 training fee. Thereafter, \$150.00 will be due for each employer for which you register.

The volunteer lobbyist status has changed for the 2009 registration year. Volunteer lobbyists will be required to register but will not pay the registration fee. Upon registration, the only fee due will be the \$40.00 training fee.

Account Information

You will need your username and password to access your account. If you do not have your username and password, you will have the option to retrieve this information on the login page of the lobby application. If you need further assistance to retrieve this information, please call the TN.gov Help Desk at 615-313-0300. Any other questions should be directed to the Ethics Commission staff at 615-253-8634 or email the Commission at ethics.counsel@state.tn.us.

Do not create a new account if you have forgotten your username and password. Creating a new account causes linkup problems with your employer's registration and you and/or your employer may be notified by the TEC that your registration is late.

After accessing your account, please confirm that your contact information, including email address contact, is correct.